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SUBJECT (U) HUMAN RIGHTS SUMMARY - JUNE 14, 1979

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1. [REDACTED] INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY: AS THE FOREIGN MINISTER MADE CLEAR TO THE AMBASSADOR LAST WEEK (BUENOS AIRES 4672), THE GOA IS STILL FUMING OVER THE OAKES SERIES IN THE NEW YORK TIMES, THE INCIDENTS AT THE WASHINGTON CHURCH SERVICES ON ARGENTINE NATIONAL DAY (REPORTED IN THE WASHINGTON POST), THE RECENT TIMES AND POST EDITORIALS ON ARGENTINA (PARTICULARLY THE LATTER'S COMPARING VIDELA TO IDI AMIN) AND, TO A LESSER DEGREE, THE (PROFESSIONALLY DRAFTED) REPORT OF THE NY BAR ASSOCIATION VISIT TO ARGENTINA. TYPICALLY, GOA OFFICIALS SUSPECT DARKLY THAT ADMINISTRATION FIGURES HAVE SOMEHOW INSTIGATED THE RECENT SPATE OF NEGATIVE US

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CONTROLLED) REACTION HAS PRODUCED AN UNDERCURRENT OF COMMENTS. WE ARE PICKING UP DIRECTLY AND INDIRECTLY FROM GOA SPOKESMAN THAT ARGENTINA HAS TO WRITE THE US OFF AS A RELIABLE SUPPLIER AND THE GREAT POWER PROTECTOR, IN GEO POLITICAL TERMS, IN THE HEMISPHERE. ADMIRAL LAMBRUSCHINI'S RECENT CONVERSATION WITH THE AMBASSADOR (BUENOS AIRES 4413) GIVES THE FAVOR. PRESIDENT CARTER IS PERSONALLY BLAMED FOR THE DETERIORATION IN RELATIONS AND THE LOSS OF US INFLUENCE IN THE HEMISPHERE. WITH AN APPROPRIATE TOUCH OF SADNESS OF HEART, IT IS POINTED OUT THAT THE LATEST US "CAMPAIGN" COMES JUST AT THE TIME WHEN, DUE TO ARMY COMMANDER VIOLA'S FORCEFULNESS WITH THE TROOPS, THE NUMBERS OF NEW DISAPPEARANCES ARE DRAMATICALLY REDUCED, IF NOT YET ELIMINATED, AND OTHER IMPORTANT MEASURES ARE BEING TAKEN TO CLEAN UP THEIR ACT IN PREPARATION FOR THE IACHR VISIT. IRONICALLY, AT THE SAME TIME, HUMAN RIGHTS ACTIVISTS ARE FAULTING THE US GOVERNMENT FOR ALLEGEDLY HAVING LET UP (SINCE THE VIDELA-MONDALE MEETING LAST YEAR) THE PRESSURE ON THE ARGENTINE MILITARY REGIME.

2. [REDACTED] GOA OFFICIALS UNDOUBTEDLY TAKE PSYCHIC SATISFACTION FROM THE RECENT STATEMENTS PLAYED UP IN THE PRESS HERE OF RETIRED US GENERAL GORDON SUMNER AND CHAIRMAN GUS YATRON OF THE HOUSE SUBCOMMITTEE FOR INTER-AMERICAN AFFAIRS. SUMNER REPORTEDLY STATED THAT THE US HAS SACRIFICED ITS ROLE AS LEADER OF THE FREE WORLD IN EXCHANGE FOR ITS STANCE ON HUMAN RIGHTS UNDER PRESIDENT CARTER. CONGRESSMAN YATRON REPORTEDLY ARGUED THAT IF THE US ADOPTED A "HANDS OFF" POLICY IN REGARD TO ARGENTINA, THE GOA WOULD FOLLOW "THE PATH OF MODERATION."

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3. [REDACTED] THAT THE GOA HAS NOT GIVEN UP HOPE OF TURNING US PUBLIC AND ELITE OPINION AGAINST THE US SANCTIONS POLICY IS EVIDENCED BY GOA COOPERATION WITH THE RECENT PINEIRO PACHEO FOUNDATION/GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY SEMINAR ON ARGENTINA AND PLANNED PAID SUPPLEMENT IN TIME MAGAZINE (REPORTED BELOW).

4. [REDACTED] OTHER ITEMS REPORTED THIS WEEK ARE A PROPOSAL TO ISSUE A PRESUMPTIVE DEATH LAW FOR MISSING PERSONS

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WHICH WOULD GREATLY EASE THE LEGAL COMPLICATIONS FOR NEXT-OF-KIN, CONTINUED REACTIONS TO GENERAL VIOLA'S RECENT SPEECH, AN ATTACK AGAINST THE NY BAR REPORT BY A GROUP OF CONSERVATIVE YOUNG ARGENTINE REFORM LAWYERS (WHO WISH TO SEE THE ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE IN ARGENTINA MODERNIZED AND STRENGTHENED AS A MEANS OF IMPOSING THE RULE OF LAW AND PREVENTING FUTURE INROADS AGAINST HUMAN RIGHTS, BUT WHO CANNOT BRING THEMSELVES TO PUBLICLY FAULTING THE MILITARY FOR THE "DIRTY WAR" OF THE RECENT PAST), THE PLANNED ROBERT COX TV INTERVIEW IN THE US, THE PRISON TRANSFER OF JAIME LOKMAN, AND THE BRIEF ARREST OF INTRANSIGENT PARTY LEADERS IN CORDOBA.

5. [REDACTED] A PRELIMINARY REVIEW OF THE RECENT PERMANENT ASSEMBLY LIST OF DISAPPEARANCE CASES, DISCLOSES 81 NEW NAMES WE DID NOT HAVE REFLECTED IN OUR RECORDS AND REPORTING. END INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY.

6. [REDACTED] REPORTED PRESUMPTIVE DEATH LAW PROPOSAL--- SEE SEPTTEL SUBMITTED TODAY REPORTING FOREIGN MINISTER PASTOR'S COMMENTS CONCERNING A PROPOSED NEW PRESUMPTIVE DEATH LAW AND GOA INTENTIONS TO REDUCE THE PEN POPULATION IN PREPARATION FOR THE IACHR VISIT.

7. (U) 5,570 HAVE DISAPPEARED SINCE 1975, SAYS THE PERMANENT ASSEMBLY ---  
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THE BUENOS AIRES HERALD REPORTED THAT THE PERMANENT SEEMBLY FOR HUMAN RIGHTS HAS NOW COMPILED A LIST OF 5,570 PEOPLE WHO HAVE DISAPPEARED -- THE MAJORITY OF THEM AFTER BEING TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY ARMED MEN CLAIMING TO BE MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY FORCES--FROM 1975 TO THE PRESENT DAY:

ACCORDING TO THE PERMANENT ASSEMBLY ALL THESE CASES ARE DOCUMENTED AND BAKED BY HABEAS CORPUS PETITIONS. BUT THE HUMAN RIGHTS ORGANIZATION DOES POINT OUT THAT THE LIST IS NOT COMPLETE AND IS CONSTNATLY BEING REVISED AND UPDATED. DISAPPEARANCES (MOST OF THEM NOW ARE PAST CASES WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN REPORTED BY RELATIVES BECAUSE OF IGNORANCE OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS GROUPS OR BECAUSE OF FEAR) ARE STILL COMING TO LIGHT. ON MAY 22, THE PERMANENT

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ASSEMBLY PUBLISHED A BOOK LISTING 5,465 DISAPPEARANCES WHICH, WITH A MESSAGE, WAS SENT TO PRESIDENT VIDELA. IN LESS THAN A MONTH OVER 100 MORE CASES HAVE BEEN REPORTED TO THE ASSEMBLY.

RELATIVES OF MISSING PEOPLE HAVE HOPED THIS WEEK TO PUBLISH A LIST OF THE MISSING IN A MAJOR DAILY NEWSPAPER. "LA NACION", HOWEVER, REFUSED TO ACCEPT THE ADVERTISEMENT. "LA PRENSA", WHICH HAS PUBLISHED SIMILAR LISTS IN THE PAST, INITIALLY AGREED TO ACCEPT THE LIST AS A PAID ANNOUNCEMENT OR "SOLICITADA" BUT LATER BACKED OUT. BOTH NEWSPAPERS HAVE, IN THE PAST, PUBLISHED APDI ANNOUNCEMENTS ABOUT MISSING PEOPLE.

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THE ASSEMBLY HOPES THAT IT WILL FIND A NEWS PAPER PREPARED TO PUBLISH THE LIST. APPROXIMATELY 4,800,000 PESOS (US \$5,750) HAS BEEN COLLECTED BY RELATIVES TO PAYFOR THE PUBLICATION OF THE NAMES OF THEIR MISSING FAMILY MEMBERS. THE LIST WOULD FILL FIVE PAGES OF A BROADSHEET NEWSPAPER.

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THE PERMANENT ASSEMBLY'S RECENTLY ISSUED LIST OF 359 DISAPPEARANCE REPORTS FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 1978 THROUGH APRIL 20, 1979 (REPORTED IN REPTTEL OF LAST WEEK) CONTAINS 18 NAMES WHICH THE EMBASSY DID NOT PREVIOUSLY HAVE RECORDED IN ITS FILES OR REFLECTED IN OUR REPORTING TO WASHINGTON.

(WE ALSO FOUND FOUR DOUBLE ENTRIES ON THE PERMANENT ASSEMBLY LIST AND ONE CASE WHICH IS SHOW IN OUR FILES AS A 1977 DISAPPEARANCE.) UNTIL RECEIPT OF THE LATEST ASSEMBLY TALLY WE REGISTERED A TOTAL OF 476 REPORTED [REDACTED]  
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DISAPPEARANCES DURING THE YEAR OF 1978 AND AN ADDITIONAL 22 FROM JANUARY THROUGH THE END OF APRIL 1979 (PLUS 6 FOR MAY). TO THIS CUMULATIVE FIGURE, WE MUST NOW ADD THE ASSEMBLY'S 81 NEW NAMES.

THE EMBASSY HAS ALSO ANALYZED THE NAMES OF 329 PERSONS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN DISAPPEARED IN TUCUMAN PROVINCE ACCORDING TO AN ADVERTISEMENT PLACED IN "LA PRENSA" ON JUNE 9, 1979. OF THE 329 CASES IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, 199 NAMES WERE PREVIOUSLY IN THE EMBASSY'S HUMAN RIGHTS FILES. ON HUNDRED THIRTY NAMES WERE NEW AND HAVE BEEN ADDED TO OUR RECORDS.

8. [REDACTED] "DROWNING" INVESTIGATION REQUESTED -----  
RUMORS THAT SIX YONG MEN WERE RECENTLY FOUND "DRONWED" IN A PUBLIC SWIMMING POOL NEAR EZEIZA AIRPORT HAVE TRIGGERED DEMANDS FOR AN INVESTIGATION BY THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF SIX STUDENTS AND FRIENDS WHO WERE ABDUCTED ON MAY 13. (SEE BUENOS AIRES 4639). THE PERMANENT ASSEMBLY AND SOME LEADERS OF THE JEWISH COMMUNITY ARE ATTEMPTING TO INITIATE A JUDICIAL INQUIRY INTO THE DROWNING REPORTS. A PERMANENT ASSEMBLY LAWYER WHO RESIDES IN THE AREA HAS FILED A PETITION WITH LOCAL JUDICIAL AUTHORITIES REQUESTING SUCH AN INVESTIGATION. ACCORDING TO HUMAN RIGHTS SOURCES, LOCAL POLICE WILL NEITHER CONFIRM NOR DENY THE REPORTS. EMBASSY IS ALSO CHECKING.

9. [REDACTED] MOTHERS OF THE PLAZA DE MAYO -----  
A DELEGATION OF THE MOTHERS OF THE PLAZA DE MAYO CALLED AT THE EMBASSY ON JUNE 12. THESE LADIES REPORTED THAT THE MOTHERS WERE COLLECTIVELY SHOCKED BY ARMY COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF VIOLA'S RECENT REFERENCE TO "THOSE WHO WILL

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BE ABSENT FOREVER." THE MOTHERS STATED THAT THE GROUP  
PLANS TO CONTINUE ITS WEEKLY DEMONSTRATIONS AND ITS  
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EFFORTS TO GET THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT TO PROVIDE  
INFORMATION REGARDING THE WHEREABOUTS OF THOSE WHO HAVE  
DISAPPEARED. THE MOTHERS REPORTED THAT ATTENDANCE AT  
THEIR WEEKLY DEMONSTRATIONS HAS INCREASED. ABOUT 200  
MOTHERS ARE PRESENT EACH WEEK.  
THE AMBASSADOR PLANS TO MEET WITH A DELEGATION OF  
THE MOTHERS GROUP SHORTLY TO UNDERSCORE THE US CONCERN  
OVER THE UNACCOUNTED DISAPPEARED.

10. [REDACTED] MEET THE PRESS INTERVIEW POSTPONED -----  
BUENOS AIRES HERALD EDITOR-DIRECTOR ROBERT COX INFORMS  
US THAT THE MEET THE PRESS INTERVIEW WITH HIM AND ONE  
OF THE MOTHERS OF THE PLAZA DE MAYO, ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED  
FOR JUNE 17, HAS NOW BEEN POSTPONED TO PERMIT VICE  
PRESIDENT MONDALE'S APPEARANCE ON THAT DAY. A NEW  
DATE HAS NOT YET BEEN SET. COX PLANS TO PARTICIPATE  
WITH MRS. AROCENA, THE WIFE OF A LATE BRAZILIAN DIPLOMAT  
WHOSE ARGENTINE PLAYWRIGHT SON, MARCOS AROCENA, HAS BEEN  
MISSING SEVERAL YEARS.  
COX, INCIDENTALLY, WROTE AN IMPASSIONED COMMENTARY  
FOR HIS PAPER JUNE 9 ENTITLED "COMING TO TERMS WITH  
HISTORY" IN WHICH HE ASKED THE GOVERNMENT, AS A GOOD  
START, TO "ISSUE THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE REPORTED MISSING  
TO THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR WHO HAVE NOT BEEN TRACED."  
OBVIOUSLY INTENDED TO PREPARE THE GOVERNMENT PSYCHOLOGICALLY  
FOR HIS PLANNED TELEVISION APPEARANCE, COX COMPLAINED  
THAT THE ARGENTINE PRESS, BY AND LARGE, HAS NOT HAD THE  
COURAGE TO INTERVIEW ANY OF THE RELATIVES OF MISSING  
PEOPLE.  
IN THE ARTICLE COX DESCRIBED GENERAL VIOLA AS HAVING  
"MADE A BRAVE EFFORT TO FACE UP TO REALITY IN HIS RECENT  
SPEECH WHEN HE SPOKE ABOUT A NEW CATEGORY OF WAR VICTIMS...  
TO RELATIVES THE STATEMENT SEEMED CRUEL. BUT IT DID  
BRING THE TABOO SUBJECT OUT INTO THE OPEN, AT LAST. THE  
QUESTION THAT THE PRESS--WITH A FEW HONOURABLE EXCEPTIONS  
"HAS IGNORED FOR SO LONG HAS BEEN RAISED AT LAST."  
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11. [REDACTED] ARGENTINA SUPPLEMENT IN TIME -----  
WE UNDERSTAND THAT DISCUSSIONS ARE UNDERWAY BETWEEN  
REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOA AND TIME FOR A FOUR  
COLOR 14 PAGE SUPPLEMENT ON ARGENTINA FOR A NUMBER OF THE  
TIME MAGAZINES EDITIONS. PUBLICATION IS EXPECTED WITHIN  
THE NEXT FOUR TO EIGHT WEEKS. WE SUSPECT THAT THE PUR-  
POSE OF THE TIME AD IS TO TRY TO IMPROVE THE GOA IMAGE  
--RECENTLY TARNISHED BY ARTICLES IN THE NEW YORK TIMES  
AND THE WASHINGTON POST--PRIOR TO THE VISIT OF THE  
INTER-AMERICAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION.

12. (U) YOUNG ARGENTINE REFORM LAWYERS CALL NY BAR RIGHTS  
REPORT "DISTORTED" -----  
THE LOCAL PRESS REPORTED THAT THE REPORT ISSUED BY FIVE  
LAWYERS OF THE BAR ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK  
CHARGING THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT WITH SERIOUSLY  
VIOLATING HUMAN RIGHTS AND THEREBY CONTRIBUTING TO A

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BREAKDOWN IN LAW HAS BEEN DENOUNCED AS "PARTIAL, DISTORTED AND INCOMPLETE" BY THE ARGENTINE FORUM OF STUDIES ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE, WHICH SAID THE US LAWYERS HAD NO RIGHT TO SPEAK FOR THE ARGENTINE COLLEAGUES. THE LETTER OF THE ARGENTINE LAW REFORM GROUP CLAIMED THAT THE MISSION, WHICH WAS ENDORSED BY THE AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION, HAD BEEN TO BRIEF TO DO ANYTHING MORE THAN TREAT THE SUBJECT SUPERFICIALLY. THE FORUM GROUP ALLEGED A NUMBER OF INACCURACIES IN THE REPORT.

13. (U) SON TO STAND IN FOR TIMERMAN -----  
ARGENTINE PUBLISHER JACOBO TIMERMAN, WHO IS BEING HELD UNDER HOUSE ARREST IN BUENOS AIRES, WILL RECEIVE A B'NAI B'RIGHT ANTI-DEFAMATION LEAGUE AWARD JUNE 16 FOR HIS EFFORTS IN FAVOR OF "AN INDEPENDENT PRESS." HIS  
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25 YEAR OLD SON HECTOR, WHO LIVES IN ISRAEL, WILL RECEIVE THE AWARD ON BEHALF OF HIS FATHER AT A CEREMONY IN NEW YORK.

14. (U) KIDNAP VICTIME TAKEN OFF FOREIGN MINISTRY'S ROLLS ---  
HECTOR HIDALGO SOLA, ARGENTINE AMBASSADOR TO VENEZUELA WHO WAS KIDNAPPED TWO YEARS AGO AND HAS NOT BEEN HEARD OF SINCE, HAS CEASED IN HIS FUNCTIONS BY GOVERNMENT DECREE. THE DECREE (NO 1172) SIGNED BY PRESIDENT VIDELA, SAYS THAT HIDALGO SOLA DISAPPEARED "IN THE CONDITIONS AND ON THE DATE THAT ARE OF PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE" AND LATER ADDS THAT "IT IS NECESSARY TO ADMINISTRATIVELY SET RIGHT THE SITUATION IMPOSED BY EVENTS." THE DECREE CONSEQUENTLY "TERMINATES" HIDALGO SOLA'S FUNCTIONS AS FROM NOVEMBER 7, 1977.

15. (U) INTRANSIGENT PARTY LEADERS BRIEFLY DETAINED IN CORDOBA -----  
A MEETING OF THE INTRANSIGENT PARTY (PI) IN CORDOBA WAS INTERRUPTED LAST WEEKEND BY PROVINCIAL POLICE WHO ARRESTED 18 PARTY LEADERS INCLUDING PI CHIEF, OSCAR ALENDE, PRESUMABLY ON GROUNDS OF PRESUMPTIVELY VIOLATING THE JUNTA'S BAN AGAINST POLITICAL PARTY ACTIVITY. MOST OF THOSE DETAINED, INCLUDING ALENDE, WERE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN ORDERED RELEASED BY A FEDERAL JUDGE SHORTLY

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THEREAFTER. ALENDE STATED ON HIS RELEASE THAT HE AND HIS COLLEAGUES HAD BEEN "HARSHLY TREATED" BY THE POLICE.

16. (U) TWO MONTONEROS SENTENCED -----  
TWO MEN AND A WOMAN HAVE BEEN CONDEMNED TO BETWEEN  
10 AND THREE YEARS IN JAIL BECAUSE OF SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES.  
A JUDGE CONDEMNED 30 YEAR OLD BANK WORKER,  
UNIONIST JUAN REMIGIO ARGUELLO TO TEN YEARS IN JAIL. A  
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SHOP STEWARD AT THE NATIONAL SAVINGS BAN, 28 YEAR OLD MARIA JOSEFA INVERNOZ WAS CONDEMNED TO SEVEN YEARS IN JAIL. BOTH OF THEM WERE ALLEGED MEMBERS OF THE MONTONEROS. RICARDO ALBERTO DAMUS, A 26 YEAR OLD FRIEND OF THE COUPLE ALSO RECEIVED A PRISON SENTENCE, OF THREE YEARS, ALTHOUGH HE WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THE MONTONEROS. DAMUS WAS ACCUSED OF COVERING UP THE ACTIVITIES OF HIS FRIENDS, AND KEEING ARMS AND AMMUNITION WHICH THEY POSSESSED. THE THREE WERE ARRESTED IN 1975.

17. [REDACTED] LOKMAN REPORTED TRANFERRED -----  
ACCORDING TO PRISON AUTHORITIES AT CASEROS  
PRISON, CORDOBA CAR DEALER JAIME LOKMAN (CASE NO 90/77/9)  
HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED TO RAWSON PRISON. RAWSON, WHICH  
IS LOCATED IN CHUBUT PROVINCE IN PATAGONIA, IS USUALLY  
RESERVED FOR THOSE PRISONERS THE ARGENTINE AUTHORITIES  
CONSIDER TO BE "EXTREMELY DANGEROUS." THE LOKMAN  
FAMILY SUSPECTS THAT THE TRANSFER WAS TRIGGERED BY THE  
FAMILY'S RECENT APPEAL OF HIS CASE TO THE ARGENTINE  
SUPREME COURT AND THEIR ACTIVE LOBBYING ON HIS BEHALF.  
MRS. LOKMAN PRESENTED EMBASSY ON JUNE 4 WITH A  
COPYOF A MEDICAL REPORT PREPARED BY PRISON PHYSICIANS  
ON HER HUSBAND. THE REPORT STATES THAT MR. LOKMAN IS  
SUFFERING FROM HEART DISEASE. MRS LOKMAN ALSO  
PRESENTED US WITH A COPY OF HER APPEAL TO THE SUPREME  
COURT SEEKING TO REVERSE THE DECISION OF THE CORDOBA  
COURT OF APPEALS DENYING A HEABEAS CORPUS PETITION  
ORDERING THE RELEASE OF HER HUSBAND FROM THE PODER  
EJECUTIVO NACIONAL. MRS LOKMAN HAS BEEN INFORMED  
THAT THE SUPREME COURT WILL ACT ON HER PETITION  
WITHIN 30 TO 60 DAYS.

18. [REDACTED] INTELLECTUAL SUBVERSION REVISITED -----

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NEWSPAPER ACCOUNTS OF A RECENT PRESENTATION MADE TO  
THE CABINET BY ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF SUAREZ MASON AND  
HIS DEPUTY, LIENDO, OUTLINING A PROGRAM TO COMBAT  
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INTELLECTUAL SUBVERSION IN ARGENTINA, HAS RAISED CON-  
CERNS WITHIN ARGENTINE HUMAN RIGHTS CIRCLES, ALREADY  
SENSITIZED BY THE RECENT MOVE TO INTRODUCE REQUIRED  
ELEMENTS OF PREVATICAN II  
CONSERVATIVE CATHOLIC DOCTRINE INTO THE STATE  
EDUCATION SYSTEM. ACCORDING TO THE PRESS ACCOUNTS,  
THE ARMY STAFF'S ACTION PROGRAM FOCUSED ON THE GROWTH  
OF INTELLECTUAL SUBVERSION IN THE COUNTRY'S UNIVERSITIES.  
EMBASSY COMPONENTS ARE SEEKING MORE INFORMATION AS  
TO THE SUBSTANCE OF THE DISCUSSION IN THE ARMY  
COMMAND.  
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